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SUBJECT: CIVAIR: GROUND SUPPORT EQUIPMENT

REF: STATE 140246

1. IN RESPONSE TO REQUEST CONTAINED REFTTEL, EMBASSY HAS CONTACTED TOKYO OFFICES OF PAN AMERICA, CATHAY PACIFIC AND CHINA AIR LINES (TAIWAN) REGARDING THEIR EXPERIENCES WITH JAPANESE CUSTOMS IN IMPORTING GROUND SUPPORT EQUIPMENT. CATHAY PACIFIC AND CHINA AIR LINES, FOLLOWING THE JAPANESE CARRIERS AND THREE U.S. AIR-LINES HERE, CATHAY AND CAL HAVE THE LARGEST NUMBER OF FLIGHTS PER WEEK.

2. EXPERIENCES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

A. PAN AM: HAS BEEN ASSESSED DUTY ON APPROXIMATELY \$248,000 WORTH OF EQUIPMENT IMPORTED SINCE 2/75. DUTY PAID: APPROXIMATELY \$15,500 WHICH PAN AM WOULD BE INTERESTED IN RECOVERING IF POSSIBLE.

B. CATHAY PACIFIC: HAS PROCURED SOME GROUND EQUIPMENT OF LOCAL MANUFACTURE BUT ALSO IMPORTED AND PAID DUTY ON \$192,000 WORTH OF EQUIPMENT SINCE 12/75. CATHAY REP IS CONTACTING HEAD OFFICE IN HONG KONG TO SEE IF CATHAY IS INTERESTED IN WORKING THROUGH BRITISH EMBASSY HERE TO TRY TO RECOVER \$12,000 IN DUTIES.

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C. CHINA AIR LINES: HAS IMPORTED NO EQUIPMENT SINCE JAPAN AIR LINES ACTS AS GROUND SERVICE AGENT FOR CAL IN JAPAN.

3. PAN AM LIST POUCHES EB/OA/AN.
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